

are appointed as members on different committees of the Commission. Out of 12 Members of the Commission, 8 are from among the University system and 4 are ex-officio Members.

### **Expansion of secondary education**

**t2781. MISS ANUSUIYA UIKEY:** Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any Central scheme is under consideration for expansion of secondary education;
- (b) if so, the outline of the scheme; and
- (c) if not, the manner in which children who have received primary education through implementation of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan will be able to get facility of secondary education?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI):** (a) to (c) A concept note for implementing a scheme on universalisation of access to and improvement of quality of secondary education has been prepared. The objective is to provide access to secondary schools within a reasonable distance of habitations and to improve the quality of education at the secondary stage.

### **Vacant posts for SCs , STs and OBCs in Central Universities**

**2782. SHRI M.V. MYSURA REDDY:** Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of SCs, STs and OBCs teaching posts lying vacant under reserved category in the various Central Universities and its subordinate colleges of the country;
- (b) the specific reasons therefor; and
- (c) the time by which the above teaching posts of the above mentioned categories will be filled up in all colleges affiliated to the Central Universities?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI):** (a) to (c) Occurrence of vacancies and filling up of vacant teaching posts in Central Universities

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